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In re application of: Hans Boehringer et al.

Application No.: 08/812,616

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Group Art Unit: 1641

For: QUANTITATIVE LATERAL FLOW ASSAYS AND  
DEVICES

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Amendment

Attorney Docket No. 12046A010500US

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Enclosed is a petition to extend time to respond.  
☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.  
☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.  
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If any extension of time is needed, then this response should be considered a petition therefor.  
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INDEP.	* 12	MINUS	*** 8	= 4
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SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDIT. FEE		RATE	ADDIT. FEE
x \$9.00 =	\$0.00		x \$18.00 =	
x \$39.00 =	\$156.00		x \$78.00 =	
+ \$130.00 =			+ \$260.00 =	
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